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SUBJECT: AUSTRALIAN AIRCRAFT SALE TO CANADA

1. THE GOVERNMENT OF AUSTRALIA HAS INFORMED THE DEPARTMENT THAT IT WISHES TO SELL TO THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA ONE P-2 NEPTUNE AIRCRAFT FOR A STATIC DISPLAY OF AIRCRAFT AT THE CANADIAN FORCES BASE GREENWOOD.

2. AS THE AIRCRAFT IN QUESTION WAS ORIGINALLY PURCHASED FROM THE US UNDER FOREIGN MILITARY SALES (FMS) PROCEDURES, WE ARE REQUIRED BY SECTION 3 OF THE ARMS EXPORT CONTROL ACT, AS AMENDED, TO OBTAIN APPROPRIATE TRANSFER AND USE ASSURANCES FROM THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA AND PROVIDE CONGRESS WITH A 30 DAY ADVANCE NOTIFICATION OF OUR
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INTENT TO CONSENT TO THE PROPOSED TRANSFER.

3. EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO OBTAIN APPROPRIATE TRANSFER AND USE ASSURANCES FROM THE GOC THROUGH THE EXCHANGE OF DIPLOMATIC NOTES.

4. TEXT OF THE PROPOSED NOTE OF ASSURANCE FOLLOWS: THE

MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF CANADA PRESENTS ITS
COMPLIMENTS TO THE EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

AND HAS THE HONOR TO CALL TO THE ATTENTION OF THE EMBASSY
THE PROPOSED PURCHASE BY THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA OF ONE
P-2 NEPTUNE AIRCRAFT FROM THE GOVERNMENT OF AUSTRALIA.
AS THE EQUIPMENT IN QUESTION HAS BEEN EXPORTED FROM THE
UNITED STATES, THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA UNDERSTANDS THAT
THE CONSUMMATION OF THIS TRANSACTION IS DEPENDENT UPON
RECEIPT BY THE GOVERNMENT OF AUSTRALIA OF WRITTEN CONSENT
TO THE SALE FROM THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT AND FURTHER
UNDERSTANDS THAT IN KEEPING WITH UNITED STATES LAW AND
REGULATIONS, THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT MAY GIVE SUCH
CONSENT ONLY UPON BEING FURNISHED WITH ASSURANCES
FROM THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA THAT IT WILL NOT TRANSFER
BY ANY OTHER MEANS SUCH DEFENSE ARTICLES TO ANY OTHER
COUNTRY INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION, OR PERSON WITHOUT
OBTAINING THE WRITTEN CONSENT OF THE UNITED STATES
GOVERNMENT AND THAT SUCH DEFENSE ARTICLES WILL BE USED
ONLY FOR THE PURPOSES FOR WHICH MILITARY SALES HAVE BEEN
MADE BY THE UNITED STATES.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FOREGOING, THE GOVERNMENT OF
CANADA HEREBY GIVES ITS ASSURANCES THAT IT WILL NOT
TRANSFER THE NEPTUNE AIRCRAFT WHICH IT PROPOSES TO PUR-
CHASE FROM THE GOVERNMENT OF AUSTRALIA BY SALE, LEASE,
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RELEASE ASSIGNMENT, LOAN CONVEYANCE, OR ANY OTHER MEANS
TO ANOTHER GOVERNMENT, INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION, OR
PERSON WITHOUT FIRST OBTAINING THE WRITTEN APPROVAL OF THE
UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT AND THAT IT WILL USE SUCH ARTICLES
SOLELY FOR INTERNAL SECURITY, FOR LEGITIMATE SELF
DEFENSE TO PARTICIPATE IN REGIONAL OR COLLECTIVE
ARRANGEMENTS OR MEASURES CONSISTENT WITH THE CHARTER OF THE
UNITED NATIONS OR ENGAGE IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF PUBLIC
WORKS OR OTHER ACTIVITIES HELPFUL TO ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL
DEVELOPMENT. (FORMAL CLOSE).

5. WHEN YOU HAVE RECEIVED NOTE FROM THE GOC CONTAINING
ASSURANCES, PLEASE CABLE TEXT TO THE DEPARTMENT AND POUCH
COPY (ATTN: PM/SAS). NOTE SHOULD BE UNCLASSIFIED.

6. WE WILL ADVISE YOU WHEN THIRTY DAY CONGRESSIONAL
NOTIFICATION PERIOD IS COMPLETE. CHRISTOPHER

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